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Direct Commands

Note: AOS Security functions cannot be executed with direct commands, nor can direct commands be issued from AOS Security panels and menus.

The Adabas Online System provides direct commands for performing most of the functions performed by the menus. This makes it possible to execute virtually any menu function without having to exit from your current function. The direct commands for each service can be entered only from within that service.

After a function invoked by a direct command has been executed, the menu from which it can be invoked by a normal function code is displayed with either an error message or a message indicating successful execution.

In all but one case, the direct command syntax includes the command keyword followed by a keyword specifying the type of command operation. The exception, Basic Services REOPEN, omits the second keyword.

The second keyword is in many cases followed by one or more variables that must be replaced with appropriate values; there are no defaults. For example, the Basic Services direct command to uncouple files 1 and 8 is

```
UNCOUPLE FILES 1 8
```

where the variable `file-number-1` has been replaced by the value "1" and the variable `file-number-2` has been replaced by the value "8".

All direct commands can be abbreviated, but abbreviations must be unique. Recommended abbreviations are shown underlined in upper case. For example, the previous Basic Services `uncouple files` command can also be entered as

```
UNC FIL 1 8
```

The full name of the command is included for clarity but should not be entered as part of the command.

The Adabas Online System Direct Commands documentation lists the basic services direct commands:

Basic Services Direct Commands

1 Basic Services Direct Commands

The following table lists the ABS direct commands:

Command	Type	Parameter
ADd	ASso DAta FIEld	file-number
ALlocate	FILE SPace	file-number file-number
CALCulate	ASso DAta DDfilea SOrt TEmp WoRK	--
CATch	RSP-code (and subcode)	--
CHange	FIEld PRIority PROfile	file-number field-name user-id
DEAlocate	FILE SPace	file-number file-number
DECrease	ASso DAta	--
DEFine	FDt FILE SDt	file-number file-number
DELete	CHeckpoints ETid FILE	file-number

Command	Type	Parameter
DIsplay	ADainfo CHeckpoints CLUsterstatus CMdusage CQ (Command Queue) CRITFiles DB-layout DIb ETid FDt FILE FILEs FILUsage HQ (Hold Queue) HWM (High-Water Mark) IDt LWpusage PARAmeters PARMs PLOGSTatus PROCess RAbn SYstemstatus THreadusage UNused UQ (User Queue) VOlsertab WOrkstatus	file-number file-number file-number
FOrce	CLOgswitch PLOGSWitch	--
INCrease	AS so DA ta	--
LOck	FILE FILEs	file-number
MANage	PROCess	
MOdify	FILE PARAmeters PARMs	file-number
ONLine	INVert REORder	file-number file-number
REAd	STATistics	--
RECover	SPace	--
REFresh	FILE	file-number
RELease	DEScriptor	file-number descriptor-name

Command	Type	Parameter
RENAme	FILE	file-number
RENUmber	FILE	file-number
REOpen	--	database-id
RESEt	DIb ONLstatus UTility-abend	online-dump-status
REUse	DAta ISns	file-number file-number
STArt	STATistics	--
STOp	USers	--
TErminate	SEssion	--
UNCouple	FILEs	file-number-1 file-number-2
UNLock	FILE	file-number

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